

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING DIAGNOSIS AND  
MONITORING OF CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE FOR USE IN  
AUTOMATED PATIENT CARE**

**Abstract**

5           A system and method for providing diagnosis and monitoring of  
congestive heart failure for use in automated patient care is described. At least  
one recorded physiological measure is compared to at least one other recorded  
physiological measure on a substantially regular basis to quantify a change in  
patient pathophysiological status for equivalent patient information. An absence,  
10   an onset, a progression, a regression, and a status quo of congestive heart failure  
is evaluated dependent upon the change in patient pathophysiological status.